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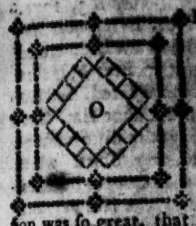
Extract of a Letter from Vienna, September 6.



ON the 28th of Auguſt, about Eight in the Morning, the Lightening fell, at Breſcia, upon a Magazine, in which were about Twelve Thouſand Rubbi of fine Cannon Powder, which was to have been ſent to Venice on the 5th of the ſame Month. This Powder inſtantly took Fire, and the Exploſion was ſo great, that it overturned about a ſixth Part of the Houſes in the Town, and, according to the beſt Information we have hitherto been able to receive, buried near 3000 Perſons under their Ruins. Belonging to the above Magazine was a Tower built of large Stones, which blew up at the ſame Time, and falling like Hail upon the Churches, Houſes, and other Buildings, ſhattered them from the very Roofs to the Cellars. Several other Fragments of Stones, launched horizontally, unroofed the Houſes, pierced the Walls, and beat down the moſt ſolid Buildings. One of thoſe Fragments, driven by the Violence of the Shock to the Diſtance of Half a Mile, there beat to Pieces a Houſe on which it fell, and buried Five Perſons under the Ruins. In ſhort, there is not ſo much as One Edifice, which has not ſuffered more or leſs by this terrible Event. All the Streets are covered with Ruins of every Sort, and beſides the Houſes beat down from Top to Bottom, upwards of 500 more threatening every Moment to fall. The Exploſion was ſo violent, that the ſtrongeſt Faſtenings, at 18 Miles Diſtance, were forced open: Some Pieces of Stone carried Ten Miles, and a Cannon, of 25 Hundred Weight, driven Two Miles and a Half. The Fields near the Baſtion, on which the Lightening fell, are entirely burnt up, and covered with the Ruins of the Houſes beat down, which were driven there, Trees torn up by the Roots, and ſhattered, and with dead Bodies. All the Shops in the Town were forced open by the Violence of the Shock, and many of the Doors belonging to the Houſes carried up into the Air and ſhattered to Pieces. In ſhort, through the whole City, not One Square of Glaſs remains unbroken. The Damage as yet is eſtimated at Four Millions of Philippins; and the Government has appointed Two Thouſand Men to clear away the Ruins, and ſave, if poſſible, Numbers of unfortunate People, who lie almoſt entirely buried beneath them, making the Air reſound with the moſt horrid Cries.

Dec. 15. It is whiſpered that the Command of the Britiſh Army is intended to be offered to Prince Ferdinand.

It has been propoſed to augment the Land Forces in Ireland with the Roman Catholic Subjects of that Kingdom, under certain Reſtrictions, and which will take Place ſhould our preſent Negociations with Spain terminate in a War.

It is ſaid that the Court of Verſailles have uſed every Argument to induce the States General to come into a Treaty with the Court of Madrid; but hitherto without Effect.

Dec. 18. We hear that Lord Chatham will make a Motion in a few Days, in a certain great Aſſembly, for immediately introducing an American Repreſentation.

We are informed, that Matters reſpecting the Appointment of Perſons to act as Conſuls in the different Colonies, will ſhortly be the Subject of Conſideration.

It is ſaid that notwithſtanding all Reports to the Contrary, the Duke of G——n will go abroad in a ſhort Time in a moſt important Capacity; his Grace having ſuch implicit Confidence in the Judgment of A——n, that whatever they pronounce him qualified to undertake, he never once ſuſpects to be inadequate to his Abilities, or inconſiſtent with his Character.

There is a ſtrong Report that moſt of the P——y C——l are now for a War, and that it is particularly inforced by L—— N——.

Dec. 20. It is ſaid the Viceroyſhip of a neighbouring Kingdom is ſo lucrative in Time of War, that it is impoſſible to calculate with Preciſion the Amount of the Perquiſites and Profits ariſing upon the Diſpoſal of Places, Jobs, Contracts, &c. &c. &c. belonging to it, but ſome Eſtimate them at 50,000l. per Annum at leaſt.

It was the univerſal Report Yeſterday upon 'Change, that there will be no War, which has a conſiderable Effect on Inſurances.

Laſt Friday there was the hotteſt Preſs at Portſmouth ever known there in the Memory of Man.

Dec. 23. Letters from the Hague adviſe, that Mr. de Berkenrode, Ambaſſador from the united Provinces at the Court of France, in his late Diſpatches to the States General, aſſures them, that the King of France, is moſt ſincerely diſpoſed to preſerve Peace between Great-Britain and Spain, and will leave nothing untried to prevent a Rupture. He adds likewiſe, that there is ſome Reaſon to hope that the Zeal of his moſt Chriſtian Majeſty upon the Occaſion will not be unſucceſsful.

Letters from Havre de Grace inform, that Ten Regiments of Infantry had lately arrived there from the interior Provinces, ſaid to be deſigned for Embarkation, but to what Place was unknown.

The Torbay Man of War at the Nore is ordered to get in her Complement of Men immediately, and ſail directly for Jamaica; ſhe is to be joined by the Dartmouth and Firme at Portſmouth.

Wedneſday Night there was the hotteſt Preſs, at one and almoſt the ſame Hour, in every Part of Great-Britain.

Friday Night the Preſs was as hot on the River Thames as it was on Wedneſday Night, 275 Men having been impreſſed from on board the outward-bound Veſſels. They are ſaid to be intended for Admiral How's Squadron at Chatham.

We hear that by the Returns received at the Admiralty, it appears, that 16,000 Men were collected in the different Parts of Great-Britain on Wedneſday laſt, in Conſequence of the general Preſs.

The above Number of Men, we are well informed, exceed by pretty near a Thouſand Men, the largeſt Collection that ever was made at any one Time during the late War.

The Preſs was ſo hot on the River, the Gangs took the India Soldiers out of the outward bound Ships.

Some Letters, it is ſaid, have been ſtopped at one of the general Poſt-Offices, on an Information that their Contents were of a treaſonable Nature.

It is ſaid to be in Agitation to recal Captain Preſton from Boſton, and to confer Honours on him.

We are aſſured that the Miniſtry are poſitively determined, that we are now at the Eve of a War.

Notwithſtanding what has hitherto been ſaid of the Accommodation of our Diſpute with Spain, we are informed, on pretty good Authority, that the Matter ſtill lies open.

An Embargo is expected every Day to be laid on all the outward bound trading Veſſels; whence it is concluded a Rupture with a foreign Power is at no great Diſtance.

Private Letters from France make mention of a prevailing Rumour there, of an intended Invaſion; but whether on the Engliſh Territories in the Eaſt or Weſt is not gathered from the Report.

Extract of a Letter from Yarmouth, Dec. 21.

"Yeſterday came an Account, that the Peggy Sloop of War is ſtranded near Haſboro', and 40 of the Crew are loſt. The Captain was taken up very near dead, and it is doubtful whether he will recover.——A large Collier is loſt near the ſame Place, with about Twenty Hands, and every Soul periſhed.

"From Lowſtoſe we hear, that near Twenty Sail of Ships (ſuppoſed to be moſtly laden with Coals) drove on the Home Sand, that Eight of them beat over the Sand, and the reſt are thought to be loſt with great Part of their Crews."

The Blacket, ——; the Glory, ——; the Thomas, ——; the Union, ——; the Good Intent, ——; the Chace, ——; and the Elizabeth and Ann, ——; all Colliers, were loſt laſt Wedneſday Morning in Yarmouth Roads, with all their Crews.

The Badger, Cocke, Tenby to London, is foundered on the Welſh Coaſt.

The Induſtry, Kellet, from Yarmouth, to Leghorn, is totally loſt in Yarmouth Roads.

The Miniſter now declares he will preſerve Peace, and in order effectually to do ſo, he will, for the future, keep our Forces by Land and Sea on ſuch a Footing, as to let our Neighbours ſee we are always prepared for War.

It is now confidently ſaid, that the Kings of England and France, the Two leading Princes in Europe, are determined, as far as poſſible, to preſerve Peace during their mutual Reign, and as Humanity ſeems to be the Characteriſtic of both Monarchs, there are great Hopes that they will be able to maintain their benevolent Deſign.

By the laſt Expreſſes the Hon. Eaſt-India Company received from Madraſs by the Way of Holland, Advice is ſaid to be received of a powerful Fleet of Ships of the Line, One Squadron of which left Ferrol ſome Weeks ago for the Indies, and the reſt at this Time preparing to follow.

Dec. 26. The only Circumſtance that hinders the Sailing of a Fleet to the Weſt-Indies, is, that a Commander to that Station has not yet been fixed upon. Such an important Command will require a Man of Abilities; and ſuch a Man (as one of the Firſt Miniſters expreſſed it,) "cannot be had every Day."

Dec. 27. They write from Madrid, that the King of Spain has made a great Promotion in his military Eſtabliſhment, as a War with the Engliſh appears inevitable.

A Correſpondent juſtly obſerves, that the Miniſtry are at length ſenſible of the ſhameful neglect of the maritime Department, for the retrieving of which, they are now uſing all the Means in their Power for fitting out a formidable Fleet; but notwithſtanding the utmoſt Diligence is made, the ſame cannot be completed before the Spring of the Year.

On Monday laſt the Spaniſh Ambaſſador gave a grand Entertainment to ſeveral of the foreign Miniſters, and a great Number of Engliſh Nobility, at Powis-Houſe, in Ormond-Street. The right honourable the Earl of Sandwich, Secretary of State was preſent, and afterwards held a Conference with the Spaniſh Ambaſſador in the Evening, on the important Affairs now depending between the Two Nations.

According to preſent Letters from Turin, France has failed in her political Endeavours to intereſt the Court in the preſent Diſputes between Great-Britain and Spain.

A Letter from Paris, ſays, their laſt Advices from Spain are, that Don Bucarelli, Governor of Buenos Ayres, the ſame who conſtrained the Engliſh to evacuate Falkland Iſland, is arrived at Cadiz.—They alſo add, that the Spaniards have 100,000 Men on Foot, and in America 25,000 Men, regular Troops, and a Fleet of 34 Ships of the Line.

By an authentick Letter from a Gentleman at Malaga, we are aſſured that the Preparations at Cadiz are carrying on with the utmoſt Vigour; a Camp of 25,000 Men is to be formed there before the Spring; and from the great Quantities of Amunition which have been conveyed thither, and other Circumſtances, it is confidently believed in Spain, that as Cadiz is not more than Forty Miles from Gibraltar, the latter Fortreſs is certainly intended to be attacked the firſt Time a Rupture breaks out between his Catholick Majeſty and the K. of G. B.

In Caſe of a War with France and Spain, many viſionary Politicians ſeem to apprehend that the Colonies will throw off their Dependance on their Mother Country; but even ſhould that be the Caſe, the Conſequence would be, that they might fight their Battles ſingle handed, which would bring upon them ſuch a Yoke, as neither they nor their Children would be able to bear, and reduce the People in America, to the moſt miſerable Condition of all Men. They muſt then be at the whole Expence of both forming and maintaining an Army and Navy for their own Defence; and not only in Proportion to their own Strength, but in Proportion to the Strength of their potent Enemies; and they would find this Expence a much more galling Yoke than clubing their Mite with the People of England.

Jan. 1. We hear there is not likely to be any War, at leaſt with France; for the King of France ſaid to the Duke de Choiſeul, "Why do you mention War? I told you that I would not hear of War?" His Majeſty immediately ordered him from Court into the Country, and ſent to the Duke de Noailles to ſucceed to the Premierſhip.

Our Correſpondent from Paris remarks, that when the King came there to hold *a Bed of Juſtice*, all the Members of Parliament went out and left the King alone to enregiſter his Edict, and the Moment the King went out of one Door, all the Members entered the other, and entered a formal Proteſt againſt enregiſtering the ſaid Edict.

Jan. 2. We are aſſured that the final Determination from the Court of Madrid is expected by the laſt Meſſenger ſent there, whoſe Return is fixed for the 2d of February, at which Time the important Point of Peace or War will be finally ſettled.

It is reported that Lord Townſhend has conſented to remain another Year in his preſent Station in Ireland.

Jan. 3. Lord Weymouth, it is aſſerted, moved in the Privy Council, that our Miniſter, at the Court of Madrid, might be immediately recalled, and all Negociations broke off; which not being adopted, his Lordſhip reſigned.

Admiral Knowles is gone to Peterſburg.

The Duke of Choiſeul is certainly in Diſgrace at the Court of France.

Monday there was a full Board of Admiralty, when ſeveral more capital Ships were put into Commiſſion.

One Thouſand Men have inliſted at Liverpool, for the King's Fleet.

The real Cauſe of Lord Weymouth's Reſignation is now ſaid to be the Apprehenſion of the approaching Diſſolution of the preſent M——y.

All the Troops that were ordered to be ſtationed along the Sea Coaſt of France, are removed back to the Heart of the Kingdom.

Extract of a Letter from Paris, Dec. 26.

Of all the Miniſters whom the King hath baniſhed ſince his Acceſſion to the Crown, none hath been ſo much regretted by the Publick, as the Duke de Choiſeul.

A Society is forming in the City for extending our Fur Trade with the Labradore Indians.

Orders are given for the Artificers at Chatham Yard, to work Two Days for One, and Sundays, to fit out the Fleet.

While the French tell us, that all their Deſigns in reſpect to Great-Britain, are entirely pacific, the Preparations carrying on in every Part of their Kingdom indicate nothing but Hoſtility and War. If this Conduct is not *fair*, it is altogether *falſe*, and worthy of the French Cabinet.

A Gentleman who arrived on Tueſday laſt from Paris, aſſures us, that there are now 18000 Troops quartered within 25 Miles march of the Capital.

It is ſaid that the French Ambaſſador is in daily Expectation of being recalled from this Court on account of the Diſmiſſion of his Friend, the Duke de Choiſeul, from his Poſt of prime Miniſter of France.

A Correſpondent from Paris adviſes, that Orders had been ſent to Court for Twenty Thouſand Troops immediately to ſurround the City of Paris, in order to quell, if poſſible, the preſent Inſurgents; and that it was generally thought the Military on this Occaſion would not act offenſively againſt the Mutineers, provided they were headed by the Parliament; ſo that when this Letter came from Paris, all was Anarchy and Confuſion there.

A Correſpondent gives us the following, as the real Cauſe of the Duke of Choiſeul's Diſgrace. When the Family Compact was in the Courſe of Negociation, the Duke de Choiſeul made it a Point, that if the Bourbon Family ſhould declare War againſt any European Power, or ſhould be attacked in their reſpective Kingdoms and Dominions, or War be declared againſt any one of them, the Enemy ſhould be conſidered as the common Enemy of the whole Bourbon Family. Choiſeul, who never imagined that Spain would be the firſt to declare War againſt any Power in Europe, by which general Expreſſion Great-Britain was ſolely underſtood; Choiſeul inſiſted upon the Inſertion of the above Clauſe. Being preſſed by the Court of Madrid for a definitive Anſwer, whether France would declare War or not againſt Great-Britain in Caſe the Spaniſh King ſhould firſt declare War; and Choiſeul at the ſame Time knowing his royal Maſter's Inclinations to Peace, and the diſtreſsful Situation of Affairs throughout the whole Kingdom of France, did, in the laſt Cabinet Council held at Verſailles, declare his Embarraſſment, adding at the ſame Time, that although France was by no Means in a Situation fit to enter into a War, conjunctly with Spain againſt Great Britain, yet as the Inſertion of the above Clauſe in the Family-Compact was ſuper-added at the particular Requeſt, and preſſing Inſtance, of the Court of Verſailles, he thought it concerned the Dignity and Honour of the Crown of France, not to remain any longer neuter, and that he was therefore for War. The King diſproving, not only of the Repreſentation of the diſtreſsful Situation of his Country, but being himſelf totally averſe to War, ſeemed much diſſatisfied; and thus the Council broke up, *re infecta*. The Friends of Madam de Barre inſtantly communicated the Intelligence of the King's Diſpleaſure againſt Choiſeul, and as inſtantly drew up an Order for the Exile of Choiſeul for that Lady to preſent to his Majeſty. The French King, on coming into Madam de Barre's Apartment, was preſented with the written Paper; the King ſigned it with that fatal Word Louis, and in leſs than Ten Minutes the Duke de Choiſeul was ſent into Exile; from which, probably, he will never return, at leaſt during this King's Life, it being his Rule never to ſee any Miniſters he has diſgraced.

It is confidently ſaid, that Lord Townſhend has requeſted a Reinforcement of 6000 Troops, having received Intelligence that the Spaniards intend to pay a Viſit to Ireland.

Jan. 4. On Wedneſday a Courier arrived with Diſpatches from the Courts of Verſailles and Madrid, ſaid to contain Articles of Agreement for an Accommodation of Peace.

It was the univerſal Report Yeſterday upon Change, that there will be no War, which had a conſiderable Effect on Inſurances.

A Report prevailed Yeſterday that an Attempt had been made on the Life of the French King, by firing a Muſket at him while walking in the Royal Gardens at Verſailles.

We are told that the Government has a Deſign of granting Salaries to all the American Governors to render them independent of the Aſſemblies. They have already begun with the Governor of Maſſachuſetts-Bay, and will immediately proceed to the ſame Regulation with Reſpect to the other Colonies.

The Duke of Graſton, it is ſaid, is at length come into Office, and publickly and avowedly to take upon him the Lead in Affairs.

This Morning Capt. David Ferguſon, of the Ship Betſy, of Virginia, was hanged at Execution Dock, for the Murder of his Cabin Boy, on his Paſſage from Antigua.

Harwich, Dec. 21. None of the Ships that were upon the Home Sand are arrived here, and we are informed by the Captain of a Brig, who loſt both Anchors off that Sand, that thoſe Ships which beat over ſunk in deep Water.

CHARLES-TOWN, *(South Carolina) Feb.* 5.

In December laſt, the Agent for Meſſieurs Willing and Morris, of Philadelphia, Contractors for ſupplying the Spaniards at Porto Rico with Proviſions, was taken into Cuſtody by a Party of Soldiers together with——Marſhal, Maſter of a Veſſel in the Contractors Employ, and next Day, by order of the Spaniſh Governor, they were both ſent off the Iſland in a Daniſh Schooner for St. Croix, where they arrived and Capt. Marſhal in a few Days procured a Flag of Truce which he ſent out to look for the Ship Tyger, Capt. Johnſon, then daily expected with a Cargo from Philadelphia for Porto Rico, where the whole would have certainly been ſeized: He was lucky enough to meet with Capt. Johnſon, who immediately proceeded to Coracoa. The Agent went to Antigua to repreſent the Affair to the Admiral.

B O S T O N, *March* 11.

In Capt. Robſon from London arrived his Majeſty's ſeveral Commiſſions, appointing

The Hon. Thomas Hutchinſon, Eſq; Governor and Commander in Chief in and over this Province,

The Hon. Andrew Oliver, Eſq; Lieut. Governor,

The Hon. Thomas Flucker, Eſq; Secretary.

Capt. Whitewood from London left Dover the 6th Day of January, by whom we learn, that nothing had been done in Parliament relative to American Affairs, and that they had adjourned to the 23d of January.—For all what the great Patriot has ſaid, there are mighty Preparations for War, and the Preſs as hot as ever, the Protections being no Security, not even to Greenland Men: About 20 Sail of the Line lay at Spithead ready for the Sea, ſome of them it is ſaid are fully manned: But that notwithſtanding theſe great Preparations, it was thought by many that there would be no War, as the Court of France had declared they would take no Part in the Diſpute between Great-Britain and Spain: And that an extraordinary Meſſenger arrived from Madrid the Day before he ſailed.

The Captains Luce, White and Stevens, were to leave London for this Place in about a Fortnight after Capt. Whitewood, who about 5 Weeks ago ſpoke with the Ship Lord Camden, from New-York for London, then out 6 Weeks, all well.

N E W - Y O R K, *March* 21.

Extract of a Letter from St. Thomas's, dated February 6, 1771.

"The Spaniards at Porto Rico, are making great Preparations for a War; they have 3000 regular Troops, and 1000 Militia, doing Duty; their Fortifications are very ſtrong, and they are tranſporting Cannon every Day, to the Bays where they think an Enemy will land; This Information I had from a Gentleman who belonged to the Factory, and was ordered to leave that Iſland about a Month ago: He left this Place 10 Days ſince for ſaid Place; and on his Arrival there wrote a Letter to the Governor deſiring Permiſſion to go on ſhore to ſettle his Buſineſs, as he had been lately made a Burger of Santa Croix. The Governor ordered him to depart the Port the next Day, by the Advice of the Attorney General. This Gentleman ſailed from Porto Rico the firſt Inſtant in the Evening. Next Morning he met a Spaniſh Man of War going in, in which a Lieut. General was expected, and more Troops."

By private Letters we hear that Admiral Saunders is appointed to the Command of a Squadron, and has hoiſted his Flag at Spithead.

P H I L A D E L P H I A, *March* 22.

Yeſterday arrived here Captain Henderſon, from Liſbon. The Letters by him, in general, we hear, mention a War as unavoidable. One of the 11th of January ſays, it is reported that the Duke de Choiſeul, and Two of his Sons, or Nephews, are out of the Miniſtry, and rendered incapable of ſerving more under the Crown of France, and the Duke d'Aguillon, whom the Parliament of France wanted to have beheaded, is made Secretary at War. And another of January 15, that an Embargo was laid on all Proviſions in Ireland.

Extract of a Letter from Liſbon, dated January 14, 1771.

"This Day arrived here the Duke of York Packet, Capt. John Dickinſon, in Seven Days from Falmouth, and brings an Account, that they preſs hot in England, paying no Regard to Protections, of an Embargo in Ireland on all Proviſions, except to his Majeſty's Dominions, and that Convoys was hourly expected to be appointed for the Protection of Trade."

A Letter of the 19th of January, from Liſbon, ſays, "By the laſt Poſt arrived from Madrid, it ſeems as if all Matters were ſettled between England and Spain."

The Brig Kitty, Lacey, is arrived at Liſbon from Maryland.

A N N A P O L I S, April 4

We are authoriſed to ſay, that, the Houſe of Commons having voted an Augmentation of the King's Forces, conſiſting (among other Particulars) of an additional Light Company to every Battalion, and of Twenty Men to every Company on the Britiſh Eſtabliſhment, it being of great Importance, that the ſeveral Battalions now ſerving in *America* ſhould be compleated to the ſaid Augmentation as ſoon as poſſible, General *Gage*, Commander in Chief of his Majeſty's Forces in *North-America*, has iſſued Orders to the Regiments under his Command, to ſend recruiting Parties into the ſeveral Colonies immediately, for the above Purpoſe.

For the BENEFIT *of Mr.* SCHNEIDER,

At the ASSEMBLY Room in *ANNAPOLIS*,

Will be a BALL, on Wedneſday *April* 10, 1771.

Ticket One Dollar, which admits One Perſon.

Charles County, *March* 26, 1771.

To be SOLD, at the Houſe of Mr. Timothy Bowes, *in* Leonard-Town, St. Mary's *County, on Tueſday the Seventh Day of* May *next, for Sterling Caſh, Current Money, or Bills of Exchange,*

THE following Tracts of Land, all lying in *St. Mary's* County, and very convenient to *St. Mary's* River, *viz.*

Denby,	containing 250 Acres
Maiden's Lot,	100
Aberdeen,	128¾

more or leſs. Alſo a Gritts-Mill, lying in ſaid County, convenient to the River *Patuxent*.

For Title and Terms, apply to Mr. *Archibald Campbell*, Merchant in *Leonard-Town*, or to the Subſcriber at *Benedict*. ROBERT YOUNG.

Baltimore, March 28, 1771.

Juſt imported, in the Induſtry, *Capt.* Carcaud, *from* London,

A Large and neat Aſſortment of Spring and Summer Goods, which are to be diſpoſed of by the ſingle Piece, or larger Quantity on reaſonable Terms, by

(5w) JAMES CHRISTIE, Jun.

Frederick County, *March* 20, 1771.

THE Subſcriber hereby forewarns all Perſons from contracting any Way with *Aaron Harris* of *Frederick* County, for a Negro Woman named *Eſther*, or either of her Children, as I look on them to be my Property. WILLIAM WATERS.

April 2, 1771.

SPARK, a ſtrong dark Bay Country bred Horſe, Fifteen Hands high; he was got by Mr. *Thomas Sprigg*'s pacing Horſe, and will cover this Seaſon, at Mr. *Jonathan Rawlings*'s, at Twelve Shillings and Six-pence, the Money to be paid when the Mare is covered.

(w3) RICHARD RAWLINGS.

April 1, 1771.

THE Subſcriber continues to take in Horſes as formerly; my Paſture is as good as the Seaſon of the Year will admit of; I have exceeding good Corn and Fodder, and Gentlemen may have their Horſes fed as they pleaſe, by ſending Orders with their Horſes.

(4w) H. GASSAWAY.

THREE POUNDS REWARD.

April 3, 1771.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Annapolis*, an *Engliſh* indented Servant Lad, named *James Hall*, 16 Years old, about 5 Feet 2 Inches high, of a fair Complexion, ſmooth faced, and has ſhort brown Hair: Had on an old Caſtor Hat, Cotton Jacket, old light coloured Sagothy ditto without Sleeves, Cotton Breeches, Oſnabrig Shirt, white Yarn Stockings, and good Shoes with Copper Buckles.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo that his Maſter gets him again, ſhall receive, if taken above Ten Miles from Home, Forty Shillings, and if out of the Province the above Reward, and reaſonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

BRICE. T. B. WORTHINGTON.

TEN POUNDS REWARD.

STRAYED or Stolen the Fourth Day of *April* laſt from the Subſcriber, living near *Hagar's-Town* in *Conococheague*, Two MARES, one a dark Roan, about Fifteen Hands high, marked AH upon the near Shoulder and M upon the near Buttock; ſhe is a natural Pacer, and about 10 or 11 Years old: The other a Bay with a Star in her Forehead, upwards of Fifteen Hands high, marked M upon the near Shoulder and AH upon the near Buttock, a natural Trotter and about Four Years old. Whoever takes up the ſaid Mares, and ſecures them, ſo that the Owner may have them again, ſhall have the above Reward, or Five Pounds for each, and all reaſonable Charges if brought Home, paid by

ANDREW HERSHMAN.

Charles County, *March* 24, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given to the Creditors of the Rev. *John Macpherſon*, that the Subſcriben have a Sum of Money in their Hands, and have appointed to meet at *Port Tobacco*, on the Firſt Day of *May* next, to diſtribute the ſame amongſt the ſaid Creditors.

(5w) JOSIAS HAWKINS, GEORGE DENT, SAMUEL LOVE, } Truſtees.

J U S T P U B L I S H E D,

And to be ſold at the PRINTING-OFFICE,

T H E

LAWS, VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, of the Two laſt SESSIONS of ASSEMBLY.

March 20, 1771.

To be SOLD, for Sterling or Current Money,

A Valuable Tract of Land, lying in *Frederick* County, about Ten Miles from *Blaceſburg*, containing Two Hundred and Seventy-three Acres, through which runs a conſtant Stream, whereon a Mill may be erected with very little Expence; well timbered, and improved with Dwelling-Houſes, Tobacco ditto, Apple, Cherry, and Peach Orchards. Any Perſon inclinable to purchaſe, may know the Terms, by applying to the Subſcriber, on the Premiſes. (3w) SAMUEL BAKER.

Baltimore Town, *March* 25, 1771.

Imported, in the Johnſon, *Captain* Thomas Wilſon, *from* Liverpool,

A LARGE and general Aſſortment of Spring Goods; alſo Glaſſes, Earthenware, Salt, refined Sugar, Cheeſe, &c. which are to be ſold, wholeſale, by

ASHBURNER and PLACE.

The *Johnſon* is a fine ſtout Ship, mounts Ten Guns Nine and Six Pounders, can carry about 3000 Barrels of Flour, and wants a Freight to any Part of *Europe, Spain* excepted. For Terms, apply to ſaid

(4w) ASHBURNER and PLACE.

March 20, 1771.

THE Subſcriber can aſſure the Publick, that notwithſtanding the late inclement Weather, upwards of Forty, from the Age of One Year to Forty-eight, have paſſed through the Small-Pox by Inoculation, under his Direction, the major Part Ladies and Gentlemen, at his Houſe, which Diſorder they have all had in the moſt favourable Manner, with ſo little Sickneſs, as not to lay down or be confined in the Houſe, and are now perfectly well.

(4w) H. JERNINGHAM.

March 24, 1771.

THE Partnerſhip of *Henry Brown* and Co. of *Baltimore*, being expired, thoſe who are indebted to them, beyond the Time of Payment, are deſired immediately to pay, to prevent Trouble; and thoſe who have any Demands, to bring them to be adjuſted and paid. (4w)

at Schoolfield, *Prince George's* County,

F I G U R E

WILL cover this Season, until the 15th of *April*, at this Place. Mares high bred at Four Guineas; those Half and Three-Fourths at Four Pistoles each; and Country Mares at Three Pistoles each. He will stand the remaining Part of the Season at the Plantation of *Charles Ridgely*, Esq; known by the Name of *Sportsman's Hall*, 12 Miles from *Baltimore* Town, where the Mares will have choice Pasture, and the best care taken, at 2/6 *per* Week, and Five Shillings the Groom; a Foal will be insured at Five Guineas; the Money to be paid into the Hands of Mr. *Ridgely*.

N. B. *If the Money is not paid before the Mares are carried away, a Pistole more than what is abovementioned will be demanded for each Mare.*

R A N G E R

Will cover at *Schoolfield* this Season for Two Guineas; for Three Guineas a Foal will be insured; the Money to be paid at covering.

Queen-Anne's County, *Maryland*, *March* 21, 1771.

THE Subscribers being empowered, under an Act of Assembly of this Province, passed at the last Session, to sell (for the Purposes in the said Act mentioned) such of the following Tracts of Land, to wit, *Adventure*, *Winfield*, *Oakenthorp*, *Lowe's Desire*, and *The Beginning*, lying formerly in *Talbot* County, but now in *Queen-Anne's* County; *Chesterfield*, lying in *Kent* County; *Lady's Delight* and *Timber Ridge*, lying in *Cæcil* County; *Thurston Neighbour*, lying in *Baltimore* County, and *Lowe's Purchase*, lying in *Dorchester* County, as remain unsold by *James Murphey* and *Michael Turbutt*, Executors of the Testament of Col. *Vincent Lowe*, of *Talbot* County, deceased, pursuant to the said Testament, by Col. *William Coursey* and *Elizabeth* his Wife, or the said *Elizabeth*, who were empowered by an Act of Assembly to sell the same, for the Payment of the Debts of the said *Vincent*, do give Notice to all Persons having Claims against the said *Vincent Lowe*, to make the same known to us; and further, that we are ready to treat with any Person inclining to purchase the said Tracts, or any of them, remaining unsold as aforesaid.

R. TILGHMAN,
SOL. WRIGHT.

Annapolis, *March* 27, 1771.

RAN away last Night from the Subscriber, a Convict Servant Man, named *Richard Crouch*, about Twenty-five Years of Age, Five Feet Four Inches high, dark Complexion, and much pitted with the Small-Pox; is something low in his Speech: Had on and took with him, a brown Suit of Cloaths, a light coloured Frize Coat and Jacket, with other Things unknown.

Whoever takes up said Servant, so that I may get him again, shall receive, if taken in the County, 20 Shillings, if out of the County, 40 Shillings, besides what the Law allows, paid by me,

ANNE MIDDLETON.

It is supposed he is gone off in my Yawl, along with Two Sailors, belonging to the Brigantine *Venus*, *Moses Rankin Cail* Master; One of their Names *Benjamin Hays*, middle sized, about Thirty Years of Age, brown Complexion, and wears his own black Hair. The other named *Edward West*, short of Stature, wears his own brown Hair, and is about Twenty-five Years of Age: Had on, when he went away, an old Greego.

Whoever takes them up, and brings them to *Annapolis*, shall have 20 Shillings Reward for each of them, and all reasonable Charges, paid by

JOHN CATTELL.

February 19, 1771.

To be SOLD *on reasonable Terms*,

HIS Majesty's Patent or Grant for 20,000 Acres of Land, in *West Florida*. Any Person or Persons inclinable to purchase may be informed of the Particulars, by enquiring of *Joseph Ogden*, at the Sign of the cross Keys, at the Corner of *Chesnut* and *Third-Street*, *Philadelphia*. (3m)

RAN away from the Ship *Johnson*, Capt. *Wilson*, on Sunday the 24th of *March*, a Convict Servant Man, named *James Donovan*, about 32 Years of Age, 5 Feet 9 Inches high, has short curled Hair of a Flaxen Colour, and is much pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on a dark brown Coat with plain Metal Buttons, a red or blue flowered Damask Waistcoat, and Cloth Breeches the same as his Coat; he has a Scar over one of his Eyes. He will probably change his Name, and endeavour to get on board some Vessel outward bound, as he has been used to the Sea.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him in any Jail, or brings him to the Ship *Johnson*, now lying in *Patapsco*, shall have Forty Shillings Reward if taken in the Province, and Three Pounds if at a greater Distance, paid by

(4w) JOHN ASHBURNER.

February 10, 1771.

THE Subscriber inoculates again at his House on Friday the 22d Instant. He will also inoculate in any Gentleman's Family, on Notice given to him, any Time after *Port-Tobacco* Court, for 12 Pistoles, if the Family doth not exceed 12 in Number; any above a Pistole *per* Head for Whites, and 20 Shillings for Negroes.

(6w) H. JERNINGHAM.

February 26, 1771.

STRAYED or STOLEN about the beginning of this Month, from the Plantation of the Subscriber, on *Port-Tobacco* Creek, *Charles* County, a dark bay Mare, big with Foal; she is branded on the near Buttock thus M R, about 13 Hands high, and has a small Star on her Forehead.

Whoever brings the said Mare to the Subscriber, shall have 20 Shillings Reward, paid by

(3w) GEORGE HUNTER.

Baltimore, *February* 25, 1771.

BY an Order from the Royal Society, for the Encouragement of Arts and Manufactures established in the City of *London*, for the good of his Majesty's Subjects in general, I the Subscriber having been ordered from the Northern Colonies Eighteen Months ago, by the Society, particularly to this Colony of *Maryland*, to propagate the making and manufacturing of the alcaline Salts into Pot-Ash, Pearl-Ash, Cassop, and Marktof Ashes, of which I have been, since the Year 1763, instructing in all the Provinces to the Northward of the *Jerseys* with such Success, that this Branch of Business is become a staple Commodity, and is the only sure Remittance they have for most Part of their *European* Manufactures, which they import from *Great-Britain*; and as I am now sensible the Ashes that I have seen in this Province are no Ways inferior to the Ashes to the Northward, I can assure the Publick, that the above Manufactory may be carried on to the general good of the Inhabitants of this Province; and for their Encouragement, any Person or Persons inclining to erect and be taught that Business, may have it in their Power at this Time, by applying to me the Subscriber, at the House of Mr. *Henry James*, in *Baltimore-Town*, where Letters, &c. will be punctually answered; and for the further Encouragement of this Branch of Business, so that all Materials may be had in this Province, I will undertake to erect Air-Furnaces upon the best and most approved Plan of any in *America*, for casting Metals, for the erecting of Works, for preparing the alcaline Salts for the *European* Markets, which Works are by actual Experiments now erected at Fifty *per Cent.* less than at the first propagating them in *America*, that those Persons inclined to erect such Works in any Part of this Province, will be surprised at the small Expence attending them, and the large Return made from them. I purpose teaching the above Business on reasonable Terms, or erecting and finding every Material at a certain Sum, according to the Largeness of the Works and their Situation.

(w4) JAMES STEWART.

Calvert County, *March* 13, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber last Night, a Negro Man, named JEM, about 22 Years of Age, middle sized, yellowish Complexion, full Eyes, and is apt to stammer a little in his Speech: Had on, a blue Fearnought Jacket, a blue Cloth under ditto, an Osnabrig Shirt, striped Country Cloth Breeches, Country Shoes and Stockings, an old brown Cut Wig, and Felt Hat, but he has sundry other Cloaths with him unknown to me.

Whoever takes up the said Negro, and secures him, so that I may get him again, shall have a Reward of Four Dollars, paid by

(w6) BENJAMIN SEDWICK.

PRINCE-GEORGE'S COUNTY RACES.

ON Wednesday the First Day of *May* next, will be run for, over the Course near *Upper-Marlborough*, a Subscription PURSE of FIFTY POUNDS Currency, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding, Heats Four Miles each. Four Years old to carry Eight Stone (Bridle and Saddle included) Five Years old Eight Stone Ten Pounds, Six, Nine Stone Six Pounds, and aged Ten Stone.

On the Day following will be run for, a PURSE of THIRTY POUNDS Currency, free for any Horse, Mare, or Gelding (the winning Horse the preceding Day only excepted) Heats Two Miles each. Four Years old to carry Seven Stone (Bridle and Saddle included) Five Years old Seven Stone Ten Pounds, Six, Eight Stone Seven Pounds, and aged Nine Stone.

Start precisely at Two o'Clock each Day, and enter with Mr. *Benjamin Brookes*, on Monday the 29th of *April* when each Party must name and produce a Certificate of the Age of what he proposes to start. A Horse winning Two clear Heats shall not be obliged to Start a Third. Any Jocky detected in unfair Behaviour, shall be deemed distanced. The Entrance Money for the First Days Purse to be Four Pounds, allowing the Sum subscribed by any who shall start a Horse, to be a Part of that Sum, and the Entrance Money for the Second Day's Purse to be Forty Shillings for Non-Subscribers, and Twenty Shillings for Subscribers. Judges will be appointed for the Direction of the Races, who are to determine all Disputes.

WALTER OSBURN, Wheel-maker and Turner,

TAKES this Method to inform his Customers, that he is moved from *Annapolis* to *London-Town*, at the Sign of the Spining-Wheel and Doll at the Ferry, where he carries on all Sorts of Turning, and for the Convenience of his Customers in *Annapolis*, he will attend on Tuesday and Friday in every Week, at the House of Mr. *William Slicer*, Cabinet-maker, where all Commands may be left. Those Ladies and Gentlemen who please to favour him with their Custom, may depend on having their Work well done, and on the shortest Notice.

N. B. He likewise makes Bench Screws of all Sorts. (6w)

February 20, 1771.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Subscriber has empowered Mr. *Joseph Howard*, junr. to adjust all Claims, either by Bond, Note, or open Account; for or against her deceased Husband; for which Purpose Attendance will be given at the Sheriffs-Office, every Friday from the Date hereof, until the Whole are settled.—Such Persons as are indebted, are requested to make immediate Payment; and those who have Claims, to bring them in legally proved to

MARY DORSEY, Administratrix of
CALEB DORSEY, deceased.

Dorchester County, *February* 11, 1771.

RAN away from the Subscriber between the 26th and 29th of last Month, an indented Servant Man, called *John Glanding*, aged 26 or 27 Years, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, by Trade a House Carpenter, can make Shoes, and pretends to be a Weaver: Had on, when he went away, a light coloured Cloth Coat about half worn, a brown Cloth Waistcoat about half worn, a Pair of Leather Breeches almost new, a Pair of ribbed Stockings, and a Pair of Shoes; he has a Lump on his left Leg below his Knee, occasioned by a Cut with an Ax; he chews Tobacco, and is fond of Liquor; as he can write it's likely he will change his Name and forge a Pass; he ran away in Company with a certain *James Dawson*.

Whoever takes up and secures the said *Glanding* in any Jail, shall if taken in the County have Three Pounds, if out of the County Six Pounds, and if out of the Province Twelve Pounds Reward, paid by

(w4) JAMES SHAW.

Baltimore, *February* 22, 1771.

On Saturday the 7th Day of April *next, will be exposed to publick Sale, at the House of Mr.* John Little, *near the Market-House*, Baltimore-Town, *at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon, the following Lands and Tenements, by Virtue of sundry Writs of* Venditioni Exponas *to me directed*,

TWENTY-THREE Acres of Land, being Part of a Tract of Land called *Montigny's Neck*, lying and being in *Baltimore* County, and almost adjoining to *Baltimore-Town*; taken by virtue of a *Fieri Facias*, at Suit of *Charles Grahame*, Executor of *Thomas Dick*, deceased. Also a large well built Brick House, 48 Feet by 30, with 4 Rooms on the Lower Floor, 1 large and 2 very convenient Rooms on the Second Floor, and Garrets above; on an Half Acre Lot, N°. 7, with the Addition also of that Part of the Lot, N°. 117, which squares with the said Lot, and runs to *Jones's Falls*, situate, lying and being in *Baltimore-Town*, on the East side of *Jones's Falls*, and was formerly a well accustomed Tavern, kept by *Amos Fogg*, with Garden, Stable, and proper Out-Houses thereto belonging; taken by Virtue of *Fieri Facias*, at Suit of *William Buchanan*, and also at Suit of *William Davis*, for the Use of *John Ord*. These Lands and Tenements are the Property of *Thomas Sligh*, and the Title deemed Indisputable.

(ts) JOHN ROBERT HOLLIDAY,
Sheriff of Baltimore *County*.

Baltimore, *February* 22, 1771.

On Saturday the 15th Day of June *next, will be exposed to publick Sale, at the House of Mr.* John Little, *near the Market-House*, Baltimore-Town, *at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon*,

THE following Tracts and Parcels of Land, situate in *Baltimore* County, and from 6 to 15 Miles Distance from *Baltimore-Town*, on the great Roads to *York* and *Frederick-Towns*, conveniently situated for Church, Meeting, Mill, and Market, and all good Lands fit for farming; such Tracts as have Tenants will be parcelled out, that the Tenants may have an Opportunity of purchasing. To be sold for Sterling Cash, Bills of Credit, at the then Current Exchange, or in good Bills payable in *London*.

	Acres
North-Carolina, containing and laid out for	945
Jones's Farm, adjacent thereto,	50
Carolina Felix,	646
Batchelors Choice, thereunto adjacent,	100
Drunkard's Hall,	308½
Part of *Spicer's Inheritance*, within 1 Mile of *Baltimore-Town*, having some Improvements thereon,	77
Stuartsylvania, on the River *Patapsco*, opposite to *Fell's-Point*, which is adjoining to *Baltimore-Town*, and contains	24
Point *Look-out*, near to *Stuartsylvania*, and opposite to *Fell's Point*,	12

The Lands were the Property of Mr. JAMES RICHARDS, and by him conveyed to me in Trust, for the Use of himself and Creditors. The Lands may be viewed, and the Title examined, on applying to

(ts) DANIEL CHAMIER.

March 15, 1771.

THE Tickets in *Carrollsburg* being engaged, they will be drawn on Monday the 22d of *April* next, at the House of Mr. *Henry Bradford*, in *Bladensburg*, in the Presence of the Trustees, and as many of the Adventurers as will please to attend. Those who have not taken their Tickets, are desired to do it without further Delay.

NOTICE is hereby given, to the Inhabitants of *Anne-Arundel* County, that they may settle with the Subscriber for Levies, at the Rate of Twelve Shillings and Six-pence *per* Cent, provided Payment shall be made by the 10th Day of *April* next. JOHN CLAPHAM, Sheriff.

St. Mary's County, *March* 1, 1771.

AGREEABLE to an Advertisement published in this Paper on *Dec.* the 5th last, and continued down to *Feb.* the 14th following, the Subscriber met on the Premises, with design to put up the several Tracts of Land as advertised to publick Sale, but was prevented from so doing by the badness of the Weather, which was such, as would not permit those to come who had a Design of bidding for the same; being therefore desirous that every One may have a fair Opportunity who has Inclination to purchase, have put off the Sale, to Monday *May* the 13th next, if fair, or otherwise the next fair Day When will be sold on the Premises, at publick Vendue, all the real Estate of *Richard Heard*, late of the said County, deceased, agreeable to an Act of Assembly, in that Case provided, for the Payment of the Debts of the said *Richard Heard*, that is to say, one Tract called *Thompson's Purchase*, formerly called *Mary Taylor's Plantation*, lying in the said County, containing 180 Acres; one other Tract or Parcel of Land, in the same County, being Part of the *Croft Manor*, containing 100 Acres. Also one other Tract or Parcel of Land, called *Croft Manor*, lying in the County aforesaid, containing 3 Acres, all adjoining; On the Tract called *Thompson's Purchase*, formerly called *Mary Taylor's Plantation*, is a large well built House, almost new, having 4 Rooms on a Floor, with a Fireplace in each Room, with a good Quarter, and several other Improvements thereon. Also Part of a Tract of Land, now called *Heard's Lot*, formerly called the *Croft*, lying in the said County, containing 1 Acre, on which is a good Storehouse, and is excellently well situated for Trade. A Copy of the Act of Assembly for the Sale of the above Lands, properly authenticated, will be shewn by the Subscriber at the Time of Sale, (or before) if required, for the Information and Satisfaction of any Person inclinable to purchase. (10) JOHN HEARD.

N. B. All the above Lands are extremely good and level, are convenient for fishing and oystering, lying at the Head of a Creek, well known by the Name of *Smith's*.

Maryland, September 10, 1770.

TO BE SOLD,

ONE undivided third Part of the *Northampton* Iron Furnace, together with the Stock in Partnership thereto belonging, Consisting of Lands, Servants, Teams, &c. &c. The said Furnace, Casting-House, Bridge and Wheel Houses are all built of Stone, in the neatest Manner, and on a never failing Stream of Water, Eleven Miles distance from *Baltimore-Town*, *Baltimore* County, in the Province of *Maryland*, and on the best Road leading to said Town. The Lands are well wooded, and abound in Iron Ore, which is very convenient to said Furnace, and is of the best and richest Qualities, and yields such plenty that I believe no Furnace on the Continent makes more Metal while in blast. On the said Land all round the Furnace, is also a plenty of Lime-Stone, which is made Use of for Flux, the Furnace is now heating, and will be in blast in a few Days; there is already provided and at the Furnace, a very fine Stock of Ore and Coals, and growing upon the Lands, as much *Indian* Corn as I suppose may supply the Furnace for Twelve Months. At the said Furnace is a good Coal-House, and all other convenient Houses in good Repair. The Purchaser shall be put into Possession immediately, and such Time given for Payment of the Purchase Money, that may make it very easy to the Purchaser, his giving Bond upon Interest, with Security if required. Any Person inclinable to purchase, will be pleased to apply to the Subscriber near *Baltimore-Town*, in said Province.

(tf) JOHN RIDGELY.

MADE and SOLD by the Subscriber in *Annapolis*, for ready Cash, all Sizes of Anchors, from 1500 to 50wt. equal to any imported or made upon the Continent, Anchors 500 or upwards, at Six-pence *per* Pound, and smaller in Proportion. He likewise repairs broken Anchors at the most reasonable Rate, and will give ready Money for old ones, or take them in Part of Pay. Those Gentlemen who are pleased to favour him with their Orders, may depend on being carefully and immediately served, by their *Humble Servant*,

(tf) ISAAC HARRIS.

Published according to Act of Parliament.

THE great and learned Doctor *Sanders*, of *London*, First Physician to the Nobility and Gentry, his Medicines, consisting of a Box of alexipharmic Pills, a Bottle of imperial Golden Drops, and a Pot of specific purging Electuary, which together radically cure, without Confinement, the Lues Venerea, in all Stages and Circumstances whatever, the Leprosy, Scurvy, Gleets, and Weaknesses of all Kinds, in the Reins and Loins.

Many Medicines, within this Century, have been made and offered the Publick on Sale, as Specifics for the Cure and Relief of Patients labouring under that loathsome Weight, the venereal Disease: Some Medicine, indeed, which possessed a very little insignificant Portion of Efficacy in them, that scarcely would relieve, not able to cure the least Complaint in the venereal Way, have been pushed into the World, ornamented with a respectable Crowd of Attestations, * and others, † whose Direction Bills were decorated with all possible Flowers of Rhetoric and Language to inforce their Sale, are, with their boasted Virtues, universally condemned, and in perpetual Oblivion, by Men of Sense and Candour, for their Want of Power, Efficacy and Virtue. This Assertion is a well testified known Truth, and all Physicians upon Earth know it.

The Medicine, which is now generously laid before all impartial Judges, will be found exactly agreeable to the best improved and most refined Practice, not in this only, but in future Ages; and, on due Trial, will be confessed by the most able Physicians in *Europe* and *America*, to be completely possessed of every Power, Efficacy and Virtue (without Mercury) to subdue, expel the Poison, and effect a Cure in a very little Time, of every the worst and most obstinate Symptoms of the Lues Venerea; besides the Scurvy, Leprosy, Gleets, and all Weaknesses of the Reins and Loins whatever.

In private Practice for more than 30 Years past, no Medicine ever was administered with the same Success; its Superiority over every other known Medicine will astonish the Physician who chooses to make use of it in his Practice. An Alteration for the better will be greatly visible in a few Days Use; and it is peculiar to the Operation of this Medicine, that at the same Time it eradicates the Disease, it acts as a powerful Restorative.

In Operation it is perfectly innocent, safe and mild; very soon will it raise the Patient to Health and Strength, and envigorate a decayed Constitution; so friendly to Nature is this grand Restorative, that every of those Feelings which attack young Men from their Debaucheries, and Persons who have lived regularly and advanced in Years, are removed, and the natural Powers of the vital System are preserved, comforted and prolonged.

A full printed plain Direction is given with the Medicine, that any Person, in his own House, or on a Journey, or at Sea, may cure himself, without the least Inconveniency, or imparting the Secret to a Bed-Fellow.

** This is the First Medicine ever offered the Publick on Sale, that speedily, safely and perfectly performs a Cure in all the Stages and Symptoms of the venereal Malady, Gleets, and all Weaknesses in the Reins and Loins, &c. It is therefore hoped, the Gentlemen &c. who may become benefited from the exceeding great Power and Efficacy this Medicine is possessed of, will be a sufficient Inducement to recommend it to their Friends and Acquaintances.

Sold by *Thomas Anderton*, Bookseller, in *Market-Street*, opposite the lower End of the *Jersey* Market, of whom necessary Advice, in all Cases, may be had gratis, and Secrecy depended upon; Letters, Post paid, duly answered.

To be had of *William Dibley*, Post from *Annapolis* to *Philadelphia*. (3w)

Orders left with Mr. *Ball*, at the Sign of the white Horse in *Annapolis*, will be duly executed.

* *Kersley's* Pills.

† *Walker's* Jesuits Drops, and *Ryan's* Drops.

General Post-Office, *New-York*, *Jan.* 22, 1771.

HIS MAJESTY'S Post-Master General, having (for the better facilitating of Correspondence between *Great-Britain* and *America*) been pleased to add a Fifth Packet Boat to the Station betwen *Falmouth* and *New-York*: Notice is hereby given, that the Mail for the future will be closed at the Post-Office in *New-York*, at Twelve of the Clock at Night, on the First Tuesday in every Month, and dispatched by a Packet the next Day for *Falmouth*.

By Command of the D. Post-Master General.

(12) ALEXANDER COLDEN, Secretary.

RAN away from the Subscriber, living near *North-Town*, *Frederick* County, *Maryland*, on *Monocacy*, an indented Servant Man named an *Englishman*, named ADAM STANTON, a thick Fellow, about 5 Feet 5 Inches high, of a very dark Complexion, so that some People think he is a Mulatto, a Brick-maker by Trade, aged about 30 Years, and his Head shaved, aged about 30 Years, pitted with the Small-Pox: Had on, and took with him, one old light coloured Cloth or German Serge Coat, one Jacket of a Kind of Cloth, partly of the same colour, double breasted, Two Pair of Oznabrig Trousers, Two Oznabrig Shirts, and one Pair of old Shoes.

Whoever takes up the said Servant, and secures him, so that the Subscriber may get him again, shall have Three Pounds Reward, and reasonable Charges if brought home, paid by

(8w) WILLIAM HARBERT.

** The said Servant has a Wife which is supposed is gone with him, she is Tall and slender, and commonly wears a green Stuff Gown, with red and white Flowers, by Trade a Breeches-maker and Tailoress.

Just published, and is now ready to be delivered to the Subscribers, and to all who now choose to become Subscribers for the above Two Volumes, the First Volume (bound in blue Boards, Price One Dollar) *of the following celebrated Work—praised by—quoted—and recommended in the British House of Lords, by the most illuminated and illuminating of all modern Patriots*, WILLIAM PITT, *now Earl of* Chatham:

THE HISTORY of the REIGN of CHARLES the Fifth, Emperor of *Germany*; and of all the Kingdoms and States in *Europe*, during his Age. To which is prefixed, A View of the Progress of Society in *Europe*, from the Subversion of the *Roman* Empire to the Beginning of the Sixteenth Century. Confirmed by historical Proofs and Illustrations.

In THREE VOLUMES.

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January 15, 1771.

BROKE out of *Cecil* County Jail, a Man who was committed by the Name of *William Johnson*, and the Time of his Commitment was advertised in the last *Maryland* Gazette, since which he has owned his Name to be *Samuel Dale*, and said he was a Servant to Mr. *Mark Alexander*, of *Baltimore-Town*. —The same Day was committed to my Custody, a Man who calls himself *Philip Laughley*, about 5 Feet 6 or 7 Inches high, black Hair, Beard, and Eyes: Has on, a white Woollen Jacket, white Woollen Trousers, much darned with blue Yarn, good Shoes and Stockings; has in One Shoe, a white Metal carved Buckle, the other tied with a String.

Whoever apprehends the Person that made his Escape, or secures him so that I may get him again, shall have a Reward of Thirty Shillings and reasonable Charges, and the Master (if any) of *Philip Laughley*, is desired to come, pay Charges, and take him away.

(tf) RICHARD THOMAS, Sheriff.

January 3, 1771.

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